[Mr. S. Parameswara Aiyar.]

MR. C. P. KOCHUKUNJU PILLAI: In the statement, it is given that, out of 208·37 acres, 95·13 acres *have been ordered* to be registered. I requested for a list of the extent of lands which *have been registered* hitherto. I want to know whether the area given in the list includes all the lands registered from those *originally* set apart for registry.

PRESIDENT: You must refer to a particular period.

MR. C. P. KOCHUKUNJU PILLAI: The answer may be furnished with reference to a certain period.

PRESIDENT: Then your question is not definite. As far as information is available, an answer has been prepared. If you want a more definite answer, you must ask a more definite question. You must specify the period. Otherwise, the question is not definite.

MR. C. P. KOCHUKUNJU PILLAI: I want to know the extent of lands registered hitherto.

PRESIDENT: I am afraid your question is very indefinite; it does not admit of an answer.

Irrigational Facilities for the Taluks of Kottarakara and Kunnattur.

206. MR. C. P. KOCHUKUNJU PILLAI: (*a*) Are the Government aware that the paddy crops of the Kottarakara and Kunnattur taluks very often fail on account of the irrigation streams bordering the paddy fields being on a lower level than such fields and the consequent want of facility for irrigation?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to take the necessary steps to improve the streams so as to make them useful for irrigation purposes?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR: (*a*) Government have come across one or two instances of the sort.

(*b*) The matter will receive the attention of Government.

Temperance Meeting.

207. MR. N. KUMARAN: Will the Government be pleased to state whether their attention has been drawn to Order No. 2583 of 86, dated the 28th Kanni, 1098, issued by Mr. H. Narayana Aiyar, B. A., L. T., Assistant Inspector of Schools, District XII, to Mr. K. C. Mammen, Headmaster, Kallisseri Vernacular Middle School, asking him not to permit a temperance meeting being held in that school on the ground that it is against the policy of the Government and would lead to loss of Government revenue?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR: The attention of the Government has now been drawn to the order.

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